NEWS OF HORSES AND HORSEMEN

Spring Meeting of Washington Jockey Club Begins on Thursday Next.

RECENT FOALS AT ELLERSLIE

Mr. Hardin's Trotters-Sale of Sweet Rector and Lena Bell. Ethel N. and Foal.

Some important events have been an nounced by the Washington Jockey Club to be run at the approaching spring meeting, taking place at the Bennings racing at this point opens the Eastern Columbia track has become very en quite a gathering of horsement and orses from California, New Orleans. two-year-olds the Washington Nursery. and a half furlongs of the Old Course, and the Jesse Brown Cup, for two-year s, bred and foaled in the District Columbia, Virginia and Maryland, with \$1,000 and a plate of the value of \$250 added. Three events are opened most important of these is the Chevy Chase Hunt Handleap, distance about two and a half miles over the W. J. C. Course, the Liverpool jump being climi-nate. The value of this event is \$550 in

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to Daniel G. Fowle, Jr., Chapel Hill, N. SOME DON'TS C. Lena Bell was bred by Mr. Charles Sharp, Norfolk, Va., and her dam was by Commoncer, son of Electioneer.

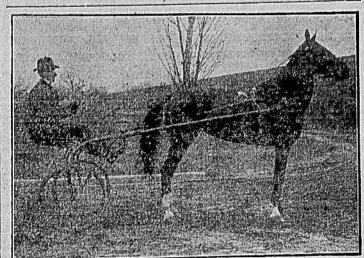
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One of the earliest trotting-bred foals, reported for the season in Virginia, is a bay filly, foaled February 7th, bred and owned by R. H. Lee, of Hampton. The Youngster was sired by Pilot Medium, Jr., 2009%, dam Ethel N., by Whalebone, 7872.

Also bred Ethel N., the dam of the filly mentioned. The Messrs, Lee are loyal friends of the light harness horse and both have exerted their influence to elevate his surroundings.



Lady Allerton, 2:21 1-4, matinee record 2:15 1-4 to wagon, brown mare, by Allerton, 2:09 1-4, dam Euryden, by Almont Wilkes, owned by Andrew J. Warren, Richmond, Va.

four races from large fields and a stake-winner in 1993), and half-brother to the very fast horse, Merry Day (winner in 1899 of nine races, including the Flash Stakes at Toronto, five furiongs, in 1:02%, six furlongs in 1:12%, 1:13%, 1:13%, and

Aurine, by Eon, dam Sample, by Rotherhill, foaled February 25, a dark bay or brown colt by Fatherless (sire of Workman, two-year-old winner of six races in 1904 Mistls, of four races and Red Reynard, also of two-year-old winners in 1905, Little Rose, two races, and Minna Baker).

Mr. Willson Chamberiain, of Charlottesville, Va., owner, breeder and student of pedigrees, has a stable of runners in training there and will race them
this senson. He expects to ship to
Lexington and take part in the spring
meeting of the Kentucky Racing Assomeeting of the Kentucky Racing Asso-

The Public Soap Dish.

In a public toilet room soap, reeking with preceding contamination is used in entire ignorance of the fact that a break in the cuticle will allow infection to be introduced into the circulation as direct and positive as vaccination. In two Eastern States bills are pending in the State Legislatures seeking to make it a misdemeanor to expose toilet soan in public toilets, where it may be handled by different persons.

The Greatest of All Afflictions, Breaks Down the Health and Invites Disease.

BLOOD POVERTY

Blood poverty, or Anaemia, is due to a lack of health-giving properties in the blood. Instead of being rich, strong and pure, it has become infected with some poison or germ which has destroyed the rich, red corpuscles that furnish nutriment and strength to the body, and is reduced to such a weak, watery state that it is no longer able to keep the system in health or ward off the countless diseases that daily assail it.

Every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength, and when this vital stream of life becomes impoverished and run-down, the effect is quickly

shown. The destroying of the red corpuscles takes the color and glow of health from the cheek, and we see pale, sallow faces, chalky, washed-out complexions, diseased bodies, weak constitutions and a general that would bring me out. Last winter my broken-down condition of the health.

Blood poverty is often an inheritance, parents transmitting it to their children, and those so afflicted live a life of suffering and disease. They do not possess the natural energies that belong to their more fortunate companions who are blessed with a healthy, strong blood supply; they have weak bodies, soft, flabby muscles, brittle bones, often weak eyes and scrofulous affections of various kinds. They are also more susceptible to Catarrh, Rheumatism and

HEALTH ALMOST BROKEN DOWN.

trouble was at its worst. I was unable to work for several months, lost in flesh, had no ambition or energy whatever, and was extremely nervous. I really became alarmed about my condition. I asked a friend of mine what I should do. He told me S. S. S., had done him a world of good in some ohronic trouble and strongly advised me to begin it. I did so. Imagine my glad surprise to find I was actually improving after using a few bottles of the medicine. Of course I continued with the medicine, with the result that it put me on my feet again and made me a well man. My blood had gotten very poor and weak, and I would have broken down and lost my health entirely had I not taken S. S. S.

other blood troubles, because their blood does not possess the strength and vigor necessary to purge the system of the poisons and impurities which produce these diseases. Long continued sickness is another cause of blood poverty. The blood becomes infected

with the germs of disease, and when the body begins its work of recuperation and building back to health, the blood, because of its impoverished condition, is unable to furnish the system with the nourishment and strength necessary, and Old Sores or Ulcers, Skin diseases or some other blood disorder follows. Persons whose blood is poor and weak will find that if the trouble is not corrected there will be some serious blood disease later in life.

When the system is suffering from blood poverty it is in a very weakened condition and should be treated with a remedy that is not only thorough, but very gentle in its action. This is one of the qualities possessed by S. S. S.; it is made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, and contains no strong minerals or harmful drugs to further derange or damage the health. It is the greatest of all blood medicines. S. S. S. not only purifies the blood of any and all poisons and germs, but gives it tone and vigor to supply the entire system with strength and nourishment. It carries to the blood the health-giving qualities it needs, and by its use it is made rich, pure and strong, and all evidences of blood poverty pass away.

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Every lost property is restored and health is firmly established. The full, round face, glowing with healthy color, returns, the constitution is strengthened and the entire body reinvigorated by this great vegetable medi-cine. S. S. S. cures all diseases arising from a poisoned

as well as an impoverished blood, and cures them permanently. It is the remedy approved by the best people all over the country for the past forty years, and nothing equals it in the treatment of blood poverty. Write for our book on the blood, and if you are suffering from any blood trouble our physicians will give you any special medical advice you wish. No charge is made for the book or advice.

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FOR LOVERS

By EVERETT MCNEIL.

Give him plenty of rope; but bring him up with a short jerk once in awhile, Just to let him know how firm a hold

Don't gush over him. Too much sweet-ness cloys the appetite. Always let Don't be cold, If you have a lover worth loving, and you love him, don't be afraid nor ashamed to let him know Don't flirt with other men. Most men that a baby does a rattle-box something

will marry a flirt. be love's condiments; ,but true love has no more need of a condiment than has a piece of lemon-pie of salt and

A fool is the only man who knowingly

pepper.

Don't attempt to measure the love of your lover by the depth of his pocket-book, especially if he happens to be a man whose only asset is a moderate salary. An extravagant wife hangs like a milistone around a man's neck. The sensible man knows this, and will cut loose before it is too late.

Don't ndvertise your love to the whole world. It is sufficient to convince the man most concerned.

Don't measure your lover with a tallor's yardstick. It is the man in the clothes, and not the clothes on the man that you are to marry.

Don't idea'ze your lover. Hs probably is neither better nor worse than a million other men; and your loving him will not make an angel of him.

Don't forget that modesty at all times and in all places is love's most sacred crown. Don't tarnish that crown.

Don't imagine, because your lover tells you that you are the most beautiful woman in the world, that he is telling the truth. Love is bilind, and never more bilind than when estimating the charms of his beloved.

Don't let your love bilind you to all

Don't visit your sweetheart oftener

to miss you.

Don't attempt to buy her love with costly presents, theaters, flowers, bonbons, etc. You wish her to love you, not your pocket-hook.

Don't be stingy. Give freely what you an afford to give, and no more; and if she is the right kind of girl she will understand and appreciate you all the better.

Don't think that you own the girl the moment you become engaged to her. "There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip." Besides, modern girls do not like to be "owned," even by the men they love.

Don't forget to make a treaty of peace with your sweetheart's small brother or sister. A little candy and a few dimes judiciously bestowed will win you an ally whose value is out of all proportion to size. That lover may well tremble for his cause who has not won the friendship of the small brother or sister. Don't be jealous of another man's attentions to your sweetheart. If she encourages them unduly she is unworthy of you: Drop her! If he gets encouragement from her you have nothing to fear, Rejoice! If other men find your sweetheart attractive, it is a compliment to your good taste: Be glad!

Don't forget to tell your sweetheart in least a dozen times every time you nee her that you love her. A woman is never tired of hearing the words "love you" from the lips that she loves. Don't, when attending a social gathering, stick to the side of your beloved all the time. Give other men a chance to talk to other girls. Return to her often; and thus show her the strength of her love, that will constantly draw you back to her side.

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of her love that will constantly directly back to her side.

Don't, when you call to see your sweetheart, and her father and mother persist in sitting up with you, act as if their company bored you. You may wish them buried seven miles under the Dend Sea; but don't let them know it. Treat them with the most deferential politeness, as if they were the only father and mother in the universe—and trust to your sweetheart.

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Don't be one of those knowing men who think they understand womankind. Only Omniscience can comprehend a woman. You know just about as much about your sweetheart as you do about what the weather will be next April. Don't try to comprehend her. Love her; and thank God that she is no worse.

Don't expect your sweetheart to be an angel. She is not; and if she was she would be altogether too good for you.

Don't fall in love with a beautiful form and face. Love should look deeper than the skin and bones. God sometimes puts a beautiful soul behind a bomely face; and conversely. Better be dead than wedded to a woman who has nothing besides beauty.

Finally, don't be in a hurry to marry, Look long and well before you leap; or heaven alone knows in what troubled waters you will find yourself struggling.

Farmers' Institute for Crewe.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CREWE, VA., March 17.—A farmer
institute will be held in the Young Men
Christian Association Hall, at Crew
Friday, March 24th, beginning at 10

Friday, March 24th, beginning at 10 A.

M. The programme announced by Colone J. Thompson Goode, of the Fourth District, includes lectures on many subjects of interest to the farmers by well known leaturers. The programme will be as follows:

Morning Sossion—Improve Merits of the Soil, Hon, G. W. Kolner, Commissioner of Agriculure, Rational Use and Application of Commercial, Fertilizers, Professor R. J. Davidson, Dean of College of Science and Chemistry of Experimental Station, Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Evening Session—Growing Fruits and

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Evening Session-Growing Fruits and Vegetables and Their Diseases, Professor S. B. Heiges, Manager of Bate Test Farm, Fx-United States Pomolgist, Diseases of Live Stock, with Models describing Different Diseases, Dr. J. G. Furneyhough, State of Vetrinary Surgeon, Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

The Farm Boy and His Heritage, Professor J. B. Weemi, Ex-Chamist Agricultural College, State of Iowa.

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TO THE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT
TO THE LAWS OF VIRGINIA.

Name of the company is full—THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANY,
Control of home or principal office of said company—HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT,
Character of the business transacted by the company—LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE,
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Secretary—JOHN E. MORRIS.
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Commonced Business—APRIL 1, 1804.
Name of the General Agents in Virginia—A. BEIRNE BLAIR and T. GARNETT TARB.
Residence—HICHMOND, VA.

RECEIPTS.

Total.... DISBURSEMENTS. 8,062,404 44 1,096,801 2 \$5,240,902 36 \$8,690,806 41

(Life and Accident.)

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Aggregate. \$17,052,403.00 \$5.764.83

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